Cases of Disproportionate Asset

3113, SHRI S.S. AHLUWALIA: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of cases of Disproportionate Asset (DA) and under the Prevention of Corruption Act against Government and PSU's personnel respectively pending with Central Vigilance Commission (CVC) as on January 1, 2007 indicating their age-wise break ups *i.e.* pending for less than 6,12,18,24,36 months and above, separately;
- (b) the number of cases disposed off by CVC year-wise since 2003-04 clearing for prosecution, recommending departmental actions and dismissing the complaints respectively; and
- (c) the details of actions contemplated, if any, by Government for ensuring rapid reduction in back-log of cases in CVC?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS (SHRI SURESH PACHOURI): (a) As on 1-1-2007, only case of disproportionate assets under the PC Act was pending with the Central Vigilance Commission from 8.6.2006

(b) Number of officers, year-wise, against whom the Commission has tendered advice for prosecution, major/minor penalty proceedings and closure is as below:

Year Pros	secution	Major Penalty	Minor penalty	Closure	Total
2003-04	151	1663	1148	971	3933
2004-05	352	1663	954	1722	4691
2005-06	199	1731	753	1718	4401
2006-07	252	1677	857	1585	4372
TOTAL	954	6734	3712	5996	17396

⁽c) It has been the endeavour of the Central Vigilance Commission to make all efforts to tender its advice at the earliest possible.